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FM AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7829

AMEMBASSY NAIROBI IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY TAIPEI

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SUBJECT: INTELSAT: CHINA

REF: (A) ISLAMABAD 9883, (B) NAIROBI 10457, (C) STATE 240168,

1. ANTICIPATING INSTRUCTIONS REFTEL (C), EMB DISCUSSED
WITH

NFA DIRGEN RAIS KHAN SEPTEMBER 28 CONCERNS USDEL NAIROBI
AND LEFT AIDE MEMOIRE GIVING TEXT OF PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE
RESOLUTION. AIDE MEMOIRE ALSO REQUESTED SUPPORT FOR NEW
RESOLUTION.

2. KHAN SAID THAT HE DID NOT THINK NEW RESOLUTION WAS
NECESSARY IN VIEW OF LATEST GOP INSTRUCTIONS SENT TO PAK DEL
SATURDAY NIGHT, SEPTEMBER 26. THESE PROPOSED A RESOLUTION
WHICH MADE NO REFERENCE TO TAIWAN AND WHOSE TEXT HE THOUGHT
SHOULD NOT GIVE USG PAIN. THE PAK RESOLUTION HE SAID
CONSISTED OF FOUR POINTS: (1) REFERRED TO UN GENERAL
ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 2758; (2) REFERRED TO SOME ITU
RESOLUTION ACCORDING PRC MEMBERSHIP; (3) EXPLICITLY
RECOGNIZED PRC AS LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF CHINA; AND (4)

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WELCOMED PRC ACCESSION TO MEMBERSHIP.

3. KHAN EXPLAINED THAT AT EARLIER STAGE PRC WAS CONCERNED THAT USG WAS SOMEHOW INTENT ON GETTING LEGAL RECOGNITION IN AN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION TO EXISTENCE OF TWO CHINAS; AND GOP HWX TRIED WITH SOME SUCCESS, HE THOUGHT, TO DISABUSE THEM OF THIS. HE SAID HE STILL DID NOT KNOW WHAT PRC VIEW WOULD BE, AFTER ITS ACCESSION, TO CONTINUED TAIWAN USE OF INTELSAT FACILITIES.

4.COMMENT: KHAN'S EARLIER POSITION, THAT IN LIGHT OF ROC WITHDRAWAL THERE WAS NO NEED FOR ANY RESOLUTION ON SUBJECT (REF A), WAS OBVIOUSLY OVERTURNED BY HIS SUPERIORS WHO WERE PROBABLY ULTRASENSITIVE TO WISHES OF PRC ON SUBJECT. BYROADE

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